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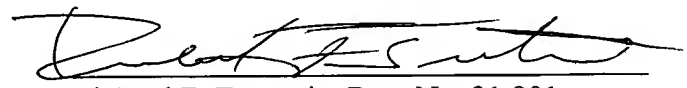
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Included herewith is the appropriate terminal disclaimer fee of \$65.00 for small entity under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d).

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